September 17, 2003

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Calculation of the Part 70 Presumptive Minimum Fee Effective from September

2003 through August 2004

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The part 70 presumptive minimum fee effective from September 1, 2003 through August 31, 2004 is \$37.43. This fee amount represents an increase of 2.28% from the fee amount in effect for the prior 12-month period (\$36.60). This increase is based on a calculation of the average monthly change in the Consumer Price Index (All Urban Consumers) for the period of September 2002 through August 2003.